KANSAS CITY, KAS.

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"Heap Big Meal for Little Money, Said Chief Eatmuch, as he departed from Hinch's restaurant at 618 Minnesota avenue, after indulging in one of those famous 15

GAMBLERS SET A VERY TEMPTING BAIT FOR THEM.

THERE WAS NEVER A NIBBLE.

MISSOURI POOLROOM MEN START A PLACE HERE.

Gamblers' Scheme Was to Get Raided and Then Make Hay While the Matter Was in the Courts-No Bets Were Made. However.

Thomas Carey & Co., book makers, who operated a pool room at the corner of Ninth and Main streets, Kansas City, Mo., until the authorities closed it up, fitted up elegant quarters at No. 8 Ewing street, this city, a few days ago and proposed to make an effort to run a pool room on this side of the line in the face of the Cubbison gambling law. Carey opened Monday and ran all day. The faces so familiar in the pool rooms on the Missouri side were present at Carey's new quarters yesterday, but no betting was indulged in. The players stood around with money burning their pockets, but they were not given an op-

portunity to gamble. The gamblers evidently expected a raid and they would not have been disappointed had they attempted to do any business. That was not the scheme, however. The proprietors of the pool room anticipated a raid and had informed many players to not get excited, as they thought everything would be all right. The plan mapped out would be all right. The plan mapped out by the attorneys for the gamblers was to allow the police to make the raid before any bets were received. In this event the authorities would have no case, and while fighting the matter in the courts the pool room would do a little business. At 3 o'clock no betting was received over the wires and the players began to get uneasy. They were informed that the wires were in "trouble." The entries for the Latonia and Harlem races were on the board, as werg the results of yesterday's races. At 2.20 o'clock the crowd came to the conclusion that there would be no betting and the majority boarded street cars for the Exposition track. were in the Latonia and the matter than the matter than track.

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At 4 o'clock no betting had been cone. At least, no bets were taken, and the cc'ds were not posted on the board. After the crowd deserted the building and the probroom managers discovered that the jolice were not going to bite at the bait fixed for them, the operator was instructed to take the betting, and it was posted. And still Detective Mackey, who was in the room all the time, refused to dake any arrests. When asked if he wasn't going to raid the place, he replied that he did not intend to unless the players were allowed to play. This seemed to disappoint the men in charge of the room, and the second day's experience of the Missouri gamblers in Kansas City, Kas., was a fismal failure. The gamblers' attorneys finally appeared on the scene but they could not even succeed in getting the raid made unless they allowed gambling to be indulged in. They were seen by a reporter and asked if the pockroom men proposed to run on this side of the line. They replied in the affirmative. "There is no law to prevent it," spoke Mr. McGrew.

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. McGrew. Then why don't they receive bets?" in-red the reporter. The wires are in trouble, so I am in-At this he smiled and walked away. The actins he smale that wanted their boasts about testing the Cubbison gambling law, but yesterday's actions demonstrate plainly that they do not care to test it on its merits. They will be given a chance to test the law thoroughly if they attempt to operate in this city.

AN INTERESTING CASE.

Walter Harris' Trial for Entering House With Intent to Commit a Felony.

mit a Felony.

The evidence in the case of the state against Walter Harris, charged with breaking into the home of Charles Cumningham with intent to commit a felony, was concluded in the common pleas court yesterday and the arguments will be heard to-day. The trial, which has been in progress for two days, has attracted considerable attention, owing to the circumstances surrounding the case. The arrest of Harris grew out of the killing of his brother, Elmer Harris, by his brother-in-law, William Bowen.

About three months ago Elmer and Walter Harris became involved in a quarrel at Bowen's home, on Ferry street, about midnight. The Harris boys had been living with their sister. Mrs. Bowen, and that night they decided to chase Bowen off the premises, which they succeeded in doing. He made his escape from the house and took refuge 2t the home of one of his neighbors.

Walter Harris appeared to be the aggressor, and he started in pursuit of Bowen, deciaring that he would kill him. He broke into the home of Charles Cumingham, who lived next door to the Bowen home, and succeeded in making Cunningham, who lived next door to the Bowen home, and succeeded in making Cunningham, who lived next door to the Bowen home, and succeeded in making Cunningham files for his life. The entire neighborhood was aroused, and great excitement prevailed. Bowen secured a revolver from some friend and was returning to his home when met by his two brothers-in-law. They made a dash for him, Walter in the lead, and he opened fire, killing Elmer Harris. After firing the shot he escaped from Walter Harris and gave himself up to the array and released the jury finding carriers intra and released the jury finding carriers intra and released the jury finding carriers intra and released the jury finding carriers in the lead, and are released the jury finding carriers intra and released the jury finding

suthorities.

Bewen was given an examination by a corcner's jury and released, the jury finding that the killing was in self-detense. Walter Harris was arrested on the charge of being implicated in the killing of his brother. He was released on this charge and rearrested on the complaint of Cunningham, who charged him with breaking into his house with intent to commit a felony. There is a mystery surrounding the trouble which led to the quarrel which resulted in the death of Elmer Harris and it is barely possible that it will be uneartied in the event that Walter Harris is found guilty of the offense for which he has just been tried. One interesting feature about the case is

One interesting feature about the case is the action of Mrs. Bowen. At first she stuck to her husband and did all she could for him when he was tried at the coroner's inquest. Since then, however, she and her husband have separated, and his whereabouts are unknown. He was to have been used by the state in the prosecution of Walter Hurris, but he disaupenced before service could be secured. At the time of the killing Mrs. Bowen held her brether Walter principally responsible for the trouble, but when it came to a real test, the true, sisterly love manifested itself, and she has done all in her power to assist Walter out of his trouble. ble, but when it came to a real test, the true, sisterly love manifested itself, and she has done all in her power to assist Walter out of his trouble.

It is understood that this change of heart saused her and her husband to separate.

Star pennant.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Alice Dunmire, of Sixth street, one of Kansas City, Kas.', most popular school teachers, and a society leader in Armourdale, to Mr. Samuel J. Fisher, one of

A RALLY AT SIX MILE.

Republican Candidates Hold an Excellent Meeting-How the Pops Are Wrangling.

Are Wrangling.

The Republican candidates left in carriages yesterday evening for Six Mile, where they were billed to take part in a grand rally. The candidates reached their destination on schedule time and found a large and enthusiastic crowd awaiting them. The meeting was promptly called to creder and speechmaking immediately followed. Several good talks were made on local issues and if there were any persons in the audience who were opposed to the Republican ticket when they entered the half, they were converted before they departed for home.

The Republican candidates are gaining votes daily, while the opposition is still wrangling over who shall serve on the "touching" committee. It was learned yesterday that instead of observing the Sabbath last Sunday the Populist county central committee met in Judge Pfost's court-room and spent the day quarreling. Al Burgard, one of the committeemen who had a kick coming at the convention and a man whom the Populist bosses thought they had "fixed" by indorsing Frank Holcomis, Burgard's brother-in-law, for cierk of the court of common pleas, was present at the meeting Sunday armed with two

they had "fixed" by indorsing Frank Holcomb. Burgard's brother-in-law, for cierk of the court of common pleas, was present at the meeting Sunday armed with two secrething resolutions. He falled to get them indorsed by the committee and just what has been the fate of the resolutions is not known. There is one thing surether manipulators have succeeded in keeping them from the public.

At Sunday's Pop "ghost dance" the "touching" committee proposition came up fer discussion and a lively time ensued. Jack Flynn refused to serve on the committee because he was a member of the police department. They wrangled over this matter for some time when Judge Pfost, the man who gives theater tickets with every marriage ceremony, became the hero of the occasion by assuming the responsibility of squeezing administration job holders single handed. He was warned against assessing policemen, but so determined was he that the men of brass buttens and blue uniforms should donate to the fusion campaign fund that he prepared a petition which he is now busily engaged in circulating among the men who walk the beats. Some of the policemen have given him the Klondike stare when he presented him away without a simple promsented his invitation to contribute and turned him away without a simple prom-ise. A few of the policemen absorbed the judge's hard luck story of political distre's and attached their signatures to the peti-tion for a certain per cent of their wages.

NEW TRIAL FOR TAYLOR. Attorneys for the Convicted Bank Cashier Will Make a Strong Ef-

Attorneys W. R. Smith, C. W. Trickett and Samuel Maher will file two motions to-day in behalf of George Taylor, the convicted cashler of the defunct Argentine bank. The first motion will be in arrest of judgment and to set aside the verdict of the jury which found him guilty, on the ground that the information did not state a public offense.

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The second motion will be for a new trial, which will be asked on the following grounds: Misconduct on the part of the jurors; that the verdict was contrary to the law and evidence in the case; that the court misdirected the jury in material matters and that the verdict was decided by means other than a fair expression of opinion on the part of the jurors.

Attorney Smith stated yesterday that he thought the court would hear arguments on the motion Saturday and he hopes to secure a rehearing of the case. In the event that Judge Aiden should overrule the motion it is probable that sentence will be passed upon Mr. Taylor Monday.

GAVE A STRAW BOND.

cheated with the add of a "straw bond and the lack of a proper man in the proper place to pass upon the qualifications of bonds given by criminals.

Joseph Bailey was arrested by the police on the charge of swindling James Flanagan out of \$15 on a bogus check. He was taken before Judge Pfost and given a preliminary hearing. He was found guilty and bound over to the common pleas court. A bond was prepared which did not contain the signatures of a dead man, but it is pretty certain that every man in Wyandotte county will be dead before a single dollar is recovered from the sureties on this paper.

BIG IOWA POTATO GROWERS. John and James Hinch Reach This Market With 6,000 Bushels Grown in Guthrie County.

John and James Hinch, two prominent John and James Hinch, two prominent potato growers of Guthrie county, Ia., arrived in this city yesterday with 6.000 bushels of fine potatoes, which they will sell in Kansas City, Mo. These potatoes are among the finest raised in the potato district of Iowa this year. Mr. John Hinch stated yesterday that the crop in Iowa in his part of the state was large and unusually good, but in several sections the crop was rather light and of rather poor quality.

Mr. Hinch had several specimens of the Mr. timen and several specimens of the rop raised by him, showing them to some elatives on Minnesota avenue yesterday afternoon, and among them were two fine atoes, which weighed over two pounds atoes, which weighed over two pounds h. He says that the Kaw valley farm-may raise a great many more potatoes n the Guthrie tillers of the soil, but he claims the Wyandotters are not in it when t comes to quality.

METROPOLIS MISCELLANY.

George H. Miller will open his new eating house, "The Alcove," this evening.

Percy R. Moise, a prominent young business man of Ottawa, was in the city yesterday for the purpose of closing up a real estate deal. Mr. Moise states that while business is flourishing in Ottawa, he has estate deal. Mr. Moise states that while business is flourishing in Ottawa, he has great faith in the future of the state's metropolis, and he is investing in real es-tate here. He will remain in business at Ottawa.

ARMOURDALE.

Peter Fountain, of 741 South Fifth street, has a girl baby at his home. The Salvation Army will begin holding meetings at 625 Osage avenue this evening. Dr. Jessie Thomas, of Olathe, is the guest of her sister, Miss Zoe Thomas, of St. Pau

street.

Granville Patterson, who was injured by falling from a bridge Sunday, is still in a scrious condition.

The Armourdale school is arranging for an entertainment to raise funds to have The Armourdale school is arranging for an entertainment to raise funds to buy a library for the school.

Miss Nellie Bristow, who has been visiting the family of J. B. Smoot returned to her home in Michigan yesterday.

The body of Charles Williams was found on the bank of the Kansas river near the Belt line railway bridge yesterday morning.

James Clark, Lem Gillam and Henry Dowdell, steamfitters at Swift's packing house, expect to leave soon for the Klon-

Mrs. C. E. Grimes, of 634 Shawnee oue, will entertain the Ladies' Aid So-ciety of the Baptist church, Thursday aft-Leave all news items and complaints at Lieninger's book store, 505 Kansas avenue, or at O. Q. Claffin's drug store, 523 Osage

L. Racey, who resides on Second street, and is employed at the box factory, had his foot badly injured by its being caught in At prayer meeting this evening at the Bantist church, Rev. Mr. Streeter will speak on the subject, "What Evidence Have I That I am Saved?" Rev. Mr. C. E. Armstrong arrived here yestenday to officiate at the wed-ding of Charles Appel and Miss Maggie Dinwiddle this evening and of S. J. Fisher and Miss Alice Dunmire to-morrow even-ing.

ball team, will entertain the members of the club Thursday evening at his home, corner Argentine boulevard and Tenth street. The Hagan ball team lately won the junior league championship and the

MUNYON'S

Omaha's most enterprising young men, Thursday evening, October 21. J. A. Ketchum, of 628 Miami avenue, employed by the Altman-Miller Implement Company, while crossing the Metropolitan street car bridge, stepped between the two car tracks. The space is very narrow, and Mr. Ketchum was caught between two cars and badly cut about the head, his shoulder dislocated and internal injuries inflicted. He was attended by Dr. Fairbanks and will doubtless recover.

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The Armourdule football team has been organized, with Todd Hartman as manager, and the following members: Pichard Higgins, right end: Tom McCullum, right tackle: Edward Matoon, right guard: Todd Hartman, center: Roman Cramer, left guard; Henry Davidson, left tackle: John Smith, left end: Ammie Evans, charterback; Robert Patterson, right haltback; Harry Hedrick, left halfback; William Hudson, fullback.

ARGENTINE.

Born-To Mr. and E. R. Mrs. Matney, Attorney A. W. Little was in town yes Kent R. and Ralph P. Tosh will go to Mrs. E. H. Cook has gone to Boonville, Mo., to visit her father. The Anderson & Yearnshaw building is receiving a coat of paint. G. W. Toothaker will go to Topeka to-day to attend United States court. day to attend United States court.

Attorney J. W. Parker, of Olathe, Kas., was in the city on business yesterday.

O. T. Ashlock was fined \$1 and costs yesterday in police court for drunkenness, James Russell is laying a brick sidewalk in front of his business property on Metropolitan avenue.

politan avenue.

Mrs. May Murphy, of the West end, fell down a flight of stairs Monday night, fracturing several ribs.

There will be a meeting of the members of the Congregational church to-night after necessary. ter prayer meeting.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Christian church will meet this afternoon at the the Ladies Aid Society of the Christian church will meet this afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. V. Barger.

Mrs. McGeorge and daughter, Tillie, of Excelsior Springs, Mo., are visiting the family of William McGeorge.

Henry Richardson is preparing to remove to St. Joseph, where he has a position with the Swift Packing Company. Rev. Mr. James Adams, recently called to the pastorate of the Congregational church, will remove his family here within a few days.

ROSEDALE.

H. Cree went to Springfield, Mo., yesterday, as a delegate to the Knights of Pythias grand lodge.

Ed Dyer, colored, was fined \$20 and costs by Judge Nichols, Monday evening, for stealing apples from Roe's farm. The body of Lloyd Eshbach, the 9-year-old sen of Mr. and Mrs. John Eshbach, who died Sunday of diphtheria, was buried yes-

Miss Ewart, one of the Rosedale teach ers, lost a pocketbook containing a warrant for \$50, issued to her by the school board. The warrant is No. 18.

The Woman's Rosedale Republican Club will hold a special meeting at the home of Mrs. S. S. Ely, at 1 p. m. Friday, and will offer an entertaining programme.

LITTLE WOMAN AND NERVE.

She Tackled an Enraged Bull to Save a Farmer's Life Away Up

Ezekiel Keefe, or "Walker," as common ly known, was feeding a young bull in a field near Embden, Me., the other day, with a drove of cattle. The bull started, breaking away from Keefe, and ran down the road. Keefe ran after the animal and succeeded in getting hold of the rope to lead him back to the field. This the bull, which turned upon Keefe, knocked

Walker, who was in the hous at the time, started to help Keefe. She is very small, but proved to have plenty of pluck, for she grabbed a shotgun and revolver as she ran, and as soon as she got within range fired one charge from the gun and then emptied the revolver into the buil.

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The animal turned on Mrs. Walker, but she still kept her nerve, and as the maddened animal charged upon her she struck him a terrific blow on the head with the gun. knocking him down and breaking the stock of the gun. She then ran for assistance. Neighbors soon arrived and the bull was secured.

Dr. Greene, of Solon, was called and arrived in a short time, but Keefe soon died. He was terribly lacerated.

"The Best Pill I ever used" is the fre-Quent remark of purchasers of Carter's Little Liver Pills. When you try them you

Literature is the expression of the thoughts of society. Books are specimens of the conversations of an age, preserved in the spirit of taste and of genius. Just as the great elements of society remain the same, and the component parts of modthe same, and the component parts of mod-ern civilization are peculiar to all its ages, the historical characteristics of a literature are not to be found by studying epochs, centuries or chronologies. The infilences of different ancient civilizations and races, and great thinkers, can alone exhibit the sources and nature of historical literature and its characteristics.—Professor Huxley,

GIVES STRENGTH TO MEN.

FREE TO ALL WHO ARE WEAK AND WORN.

A METHOD TO CURE AND INCREASE THE POWER.

It is a remarkable fact that a man never appreciates the sufferings of others until he himself has passed through the fire of pain or remorse. Then, it is that he looks around for those who are suffering; he wants them to profit by his experience; he



benefit of others and never tires of his zeal. There are plenty of men weak and worn out, struggling with remorse and fear, the natural outcome of habits that worn out, struggling with remorse and fear, the natural outcome of habits that brought incapacity; a sense of lonesomeness and a feeling as if the best side of life had been banished ferever. Such men should write to Thomas Slater, box 554, Kalamazoo, Mich. He will send tree by mail, in a plain, sealed envelope full particulars about the method he used, and this will enable any man to get a complete cure at home. It is the method that Mr. Slater used to cure himself of the troubles that sap the strength and vigor and also enlarged his organs to natural size. The cure was so complete, so satisfying and such a wonderful change from his former condition that he win giadly tell others all about it, sending all particulars. He figures that he doesn't know of a better way to show his appreciation of his own cure and the sufferings of others. There must be generous men in this world to offset the tide of avarice. Write to Mr. Slater—it will cost nothing for his description and method.

DRAKE'S WILD CHASE.

NO DIRECT DESCENDANTS OF THE GREAT EXPLORER.

Fabulous Fortune Hunted by New Castle, Pa., People and Relatives Said to Be a Bubble-Their Attorney Is Warned.

The heirs of Sir Francis Drake, the great English explorer, who have a regular or-ganization and who recently held a meeting in New Castle, some coming from as far away as Illinois, are considerably dampened in their attempt to recover an estate which they believed to be worth in the neighborhood of \$200,000,000, by a letter that was received from New York city by Charles Falls, Esq., secretary of the asso-

It is from a well known newspaper writer. and states that there is no "Sir Francis Drake estate," and that the alleged heirs of the great explorer are only their time. He says that it is a well known fact that Sir Francis Drake died without having any children, and could, therefore, have no direct traceable heirs in this country. The writer states that even if this were not so one Francis Archibald, of Mount Vernon, N. Y., is, beyond question, the di-He further states that the Drake estate

He further states that the Drake estate that did once exist in England is so encumbered that it would not pay the expenses of getting it, and that the \$290.000 is a myth and never did exist. The story that Sir Francis left two sons, John and Francis, is, according to the writer, incorrect. He says that the confusion in regard to Sir Francis probably arose over the fact that he had two brothers. John and Thomas, and the former commanded the ship Swa in the attack upon Vera Cruz. There is no record of what befell John, excepting that he was wounded at Vera Cruz. It is possible that he may have remained on this side of the Atlantic, but even if that were the case his descendants would have no claim to any estate ants would have no claim to any estate that Sir Francis might have left, since no mention is made in the will of the great admiral of his brother John or descend-The writer, in summing up, says that the Drake association and all others are merely pursuing a bubble.

THE NEWS AT LEAVENWORTH. County Pay Day Postponed Until January-Officer Handy With His

Gun-Minor Mention. County finances are at a low ebb just new and those having claims against the county see no prospect for immediate payment. It has been the custom to pay salaries and claims against the county every three months, and the quarterly payments are now due. There is no likelihood, however, of these claims being paid before January, unless the county commissioners should borrow the money. The amount of last year's delinquent taxes reaches a large amount, and it has been increasing for the past few years. Much of this is on city property, the farmers, as a rule, being

preperty, the farmers, as a rule, being pretty well paid up.

The large amount of delinquent taxes is causing considerable comment, and is attributed to the present laws upon the subject, and a reform is demanded. There is much complaint from those holding claims, many of whom are needing the money with which to procure their winter's supplies.

When the Civic Federation was organized last spring it took up some of these tinancial problems, but for the past few months nothing has been done and the people fear that the federation has gone to sleep.

Officer With a Gun.

The police board are very unlucky with some of their officers, who are entirely too handy with their guns. A short time ago the then city julier went on a spree, during which he pulled a gun upon a citizen without provocation and was promptly knocked down. The board suspended him for thirty days and then restored him to duty as a patrolman. Later on the poundmaster undertook to run the city and was run in himself. In this instance the officer was discharged and a man named Walker was discharged and a man named Walker was discharged and a man named Walker appointed.
Yesterday Walker made his record by shooting at a man on the hay market. The two had some trouble over a horse which was in the pound, when Walker drew his gun and fired. The ball grazed the horse-trader's head, going through his hat. The poundmaster was not arrested, or if he had been his name was not on the docket last night.

The Second cavalry, from Fort Riley, which has been here attending the G. A. R. reunion, left yesterday on its return march, going by way of Clay Center. It will attend the district reunion, which commences October 21, and continues three days. The battery of light artillery will leave this morning, going direct to its post. Colonel Hawkins, commanding the post, in his annual report to the war department, recommended that Fort Leavenworth be made the headquarters for a battery of light artillery, urging that its presence was needed for the benefit of the infantry and cavalry school. While 'Assistant Secretary of War Meiklejohn was here a delegation of citizens, headed by Senator Baker, called upon him in the interest of the project. The assistant secretary was favorably impressed with their arguments and promised his support in securing the appropriation needed to carry out the wishes of the committee. This will take about \$30,000. Fort Leavenworth.

The Security Trust and Safety Company, of Lexington, Ky., filed a suit in the district court yesterday against James C. Stone, Jr. The suit was filed in behalf of Kate Hansen, a lunntic, and is to collect on a note for \$5.000. The note was executed July 6, 1892, and it is claimed that no interest has been paid thereon since November, 1894.

Julia Caldwell et al yesterday sold to George W. Kaufman lots 4 and 5, in Lat-ta's addition, for \$2,100.

In the state case against Lincoln Jan-uary before Justice Johnson yesterday the defendant was held to the district court in the sum of \$200. He was charged with having assaulted Carrie Gross,

Begister to-day

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Register to-day.

The last tent of Camp Alger was taken down yesterday and now there is nothing left to mark the site except piles of straw, heaps of ashes from the campfires and the well trampled ground. In packing up the tents the committee found that a number had been stolen, which they will be obliged to pay for, as well as several which were destroyed by fire.

Angelo Gilsing arrived from St. Louis yesterday on a visit to Deputy Warden Allen of the federal penlientiary.

It is highly important that Republicans should register at once, if they wish to vote at the approaching election. The bocks close Friday evening, after which it will be too late.

Several fresh cases of diphtheria have been reported in the city lately, and there has been a death from that disease this week. The board of education is taking extra precautions to prevent pupils from a infected district entering any of the

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an infected district entering any of the schools.

Charles Ellis, who was arrested for stealing a basket of clothing and table linen from Diergardt's hotel, was fined \$15 in police court yesterday morning.

A civil service examination for the positions of carrier and clerk in the postoffice will be held in the government building December 4. All applications must be filed not later than November 13.

First Lieutenanis Joseph M. T. Partello, Fifth infantry; Henry H. Benham, Second infantry, and Second Lieutenanis John B. Bennett, Seventh infantry; Melville S. Jarvis, Fourth infantry; John W. Heacey, Fifth infantry, and Harry A. Smith, First infantry, have been ordered to report before the examining board at Fort Leaven worth to take an examination for promosition. worth to take an examination for prorestion.

Sheriff Rothenberger took James Smith,
an insane prisoner, to the asylum at Topeka yesterday.

Deputy Sheriff Krezdorn went to Reno
yesterday to serve attachment papers on
F. H. and Eliza Pettingill. The property
attached is a farm, the amount involved
being \$1.971.10.

Be sure that your name is on the registration books, as they will close Friday
night.

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The case against Otto Schmeckel, charged with maintaining a nuisance, has been continued until October 28.

John McGuire was sued in the district court yesterday by H. A. Kaster, of Platte City, Mo., who seeks to collect a note for \$700.

Justice Bond issued a warrant yesterday for "Turk" Shoemaker, who is charged by George Quimby with having embezzled \$7.50.

George Quimby with having chackaged 27.59.

Beginning this morning the Santa Fe train for the West will leave at 8:59 a. m., instead of 9, as formerly.

Commissioner Bond issued a United States warrant for the arrest of Will Balley, charged with passing counterfeit money. The money was an old \$5 city seriptill. He also issued a warrant for J. Purcell and Thomas Wayne, who are charged

A PIONEER SHOEMAKER.

Working at His Trade Although Eighty-Five Years Old.

Mr. James McMillen, of Champaign, Has Followed the Shoemaker's Trade All His Life-Every Day at His Bench Working With Apparently the Same Vigor as a Young Man-A Sketch of His Life.

From the Gazette, Champaign, Ill.

At the advanced age of \$5 years, James McMillen, of 112 West Washington street, is one of the most active men in Champaign, Ill. Mr. McMillen is a ploneer citizen of the city, and his form is as familiar on the streets as that of any citizen of the town. All his life Mr. McMillen has followed the trade of shoemaker, and every day finds him at his bench, bending over his work with apparently the same vigor he commanded when he was a young man.

He has al little shop on North Wright Street, in the vicinity of the University of Illinois, and he is the official shoemaker, and his familiar form was missed along the street, for the students of that institution. About a year ago Mr. McMillen was absent from his bench for several weeks, and his familiar form was missed along the streets. The local newspapers announced that he was dangerously ill. For ments he was a sufferer, but finally he appeared again at his shop, and has lost but very few days since then and mone, perhaps, on account of stekness. His friends were surprised to see him out again, and they were more surprised when he told them the cause of his recovery.

There was no small amount of local interest in his case, and a reporter visited him to have him relate the story.

"I feel," said the spry old gentleman, "that I owe my life to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, Something like a year ago it appeared to me that I was almost a physical wreek. I was suffering from a discase of the kidneys. A thick scurf had formed on the bottoms of my feet and my ankles were terribly swollen and infiamed. In fact, they reached such a condition that I could not walk, and it looked as though my days were numbered.

"I read in the newspaper testimonials"

HOW GARCIA RROKE THE RANK

At the advanced age of \$5 years, James from people who claimed to have been cured McMillen, of 112 West Washington street, is of kidney trouble by the use of Dr. Will-

with defrauding John Moller out of \$10, while on the reservation.

The town of Lansing wants to incorporate as a city of the third class.

The annual meeting of the Y. M. C. A was held last night, at their rooms. The report of the secretary was a resume of the work during the past year and con-tained a number of suggestions. He call-ed attention to the needs of the gymna-sium and urged that several improvements

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Bonner Springs, in the south part of the county, is agitating the building of an electric railway to Kansas City.

Delaware tribe, No. 3, of Red Men, will kindle their council fire to-night.

INDEPENDENCE.

Two Days' Reunion of Company A, Sixteenth Missouri Infantry, Ex-Confederates.

A reunion of the members of Captain Henry Brooking's command, Company A, Sixteenth Missouri infantry, ex-Confederates, will be held in this city to-day and tomorrow. Over thirty-two years ago, the 2ard of June, 1865, the company surrendered, turned over its arms and returned to Missouri. The company comprised 144 men and four commissioned officers. All of the officers are alive and are expected to be present at the reunion to-day. Six of the members of the company live near Independence and fifty-live are living in the state. Thomas Cassell, former superintendent of the ex-Confederate home at Higging.

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Captain Henry Brooking, who had command in the South, lives near Raytown. The company belonged to General Parson's brigade, Price's army. It took part in nearly every engagement fought west of the Mississippl until the surrender at Shreveport. The officers are Captain Brooking. Lieutenant J. F. Harris, of Pleasant Hill: Lieutenant J. S. Wallace, of Independence: Lieutenant C. B. Lotspeich, now a minister, and Orderly T. W. Cassell, of Independence.

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The funeral of Mrs. A. M. Ott was held at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon from the First Presbyterian church, being conducted by Rev. Mr. A. D. Madeira and Rev. Mr. Vernon. The church altar was draped in white, with sable background. A wealth of floral tributes reposed on the casket lid and surrounded the bler. Seldom has there been so large a funeral concourse in Independence. Mrs. Ott had endeared herself to a wide circle of friends. The pallbearers were G. F. Ayres, J. G. Paxton, W. N. Southern, Jr., J. A. Sea, T. N. Smith and J. A. Prewitt.

Air Line Passenger Trains. A report circulated yesterday that the Air line passenger trains would be abandoned about November 1. The city council and Air line officials have not had a meeting to adjust the difficulty, but an agreement for such a meeting is soon to be made. Members of the city council are a unit in opposing the amendment to the franchise.

Woman's Mission Union to Convene. Rev. Mr. A. A. Wallace, of Mexico, Mo., opened the three days' session of the Woman's Mission Union last night with a sermon on missions. The delegates were no numerous last night, but more are expected to-day. At 10 o'clock there will be an address of welcome at the Westminster church, followed by enrollment of societies and the reading of several papers. The afternoon programme includes papers on mission work. To-night Rev. Mr. Mitchell will deliver a sermon.

Independence News Notes. Rev. Mr. A. A. Wallace, of Mexico, Mo.,

s visiting relatives here. Word was received here yesterday an-nouncing the death of Thomas Clark, son nouncing the death of Thomas Clark, son of J. T. Clark, of this city, at Carmi, Ill.

N. V. Ament, who has been visiting friends in this city for several days, has returned to his home at Harrisonville, Mo.

Oscar Cogswell and Judge Guinotte left last evening for Oklahoma, where they will spend several days hunting.

Miss Margaret Davis, of Westport, is the guest of the Misses Stewart at their home west of this city.

Rev. Mr. Franc Mitchell has returned home from St. Louis, where he attended a meeting of the presbytery.

The Epworth League of the M. E. church will give a "rag ball" to-morrow night at the home of Mrs. Snedlker, 900 West Kansus street.

The house of John Powers on South I leasant street caught fire yesterday morn-The house of John Powers on South Heasant street caught fire yesterday morning from a defective flue. The blaze was extinguished, with small damage.

Mayor Millard has appointed W. S. Flournoy, A. L. McCoy, A. A. White C. Gtt. S. H. Woodson, C. Gudgell, D. Bullard, T. G. Beaham and W. Rider as a committee to prepare plans for a sewerage campaign. The plans of this committee will be presented to the city council.

HOW GARCIA BROKE THE BANK Story of the South American Spar

iard's Run of Luck at Homburg. From the London Mall. Either the author of the once popular ong, "The Man Who Broke the Bank at Monte Carlo," shared the general belief in

table to table while play was going on; but, although such large sums were literally at stake, he did not approach Garcia's table until the second day, when he hobbled up, and, leaning on his inseparable cane, caimly surveyed the plunger raking in a pile of gold and notes he had just won. "Ah, Mr. Blanc," cried Garcia exultantly, "you are disturbed, eh? One of us will have to go under, and I bet it will not be myself."

myself."
"Mr. Garcia," replied the old gentleman tranquilly, "I have an annuity of 3,000 francs deposited in the Bank of France, and that you cannot take from me," where-upon he resumed his perambulations.

ALL IN KNOWING HOW. It's an Easy Matter to Get Rich if You

Can Run Such a Scheme

as This. From the Detroit Free Press,
"It's no trick to get rich," declared the retired capitalist whose experience had made him something of a cynic. "The whole secret lies in making the plunge and then showing a steel-spring nerve.

"I don't mind giving you the true inwardness of that water cure venture of mine, for it's too late to go behind the returns. I was up in that wild country hunting. The seenery was charming, the pure air and the region replete with romantic traditions. One day we came upon a bubbling spring shaded by a clump of tamarack trees, and on tasting the water I found that it contained a percentage of iron. The idea of sanitarium popped into my head like a flash and I sent a sample of the water to a friend, who is a chemist. whole secret lies in making the plunge and

iron. The idea of sanitarium popped into my head like a flash and I sent a sample of the water to a friend, who is a chemist, intimating the scheme I had in view. His verdict was 'No special medicinal virtue,' "But there was a shrewd young clerk in his office who wrote me to await his coming. His main objection to the scheme was that it did not smell loud enough. Get up an intense and offensive odor,' he insisted, 'and we're all right.' This we brought about by an artificial sulphur bed and helped out the delusion by painting all the stones in the vicinity a light brown. My youthful partner raised a beard and donned a plug hat in connection with a long-tailed coat in order to serve as consulting physician of the institution. With a modest little building for a starter, we were ready for business.

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"Printer's ink did the balance. We had to increase our accommodations and our price. Invalids and those who imagined themselves invalids flocked from every point of the compass. We coined money, and I haven't a single compunction of con-science, for we made green cures and lets science, for we made great cures and lots of them. Faith, I suppose. The place would have been running yet, but the man who bought us out neglected to keep the stones painted, allowed the sulphur bed to become exhausted, and then had the gall to sue us for damages. Rather then both-er with him we settled, but had plenty

From Puck.
Rich uncle—"I have just made my will in your favor. Tom. I have left all my money to the Foreign Missionary Society, and specified that they must engage you as their lawyer when the other heirs try to break the will. I left it that way, so as to make sure of your getting it. Tom-roast them, my boy; roast them! If you let them missionaries get a cent of it I'll come back and haunt you!"

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SENT THE FIRST TELEGRAM. Miss Ellsworth's Reward for Bring-

ing Good News to Professor Morse. From the New York Sun. "Of course," remarked the old telegraph operator, "I won't swear to the details of "Of course," remarked the old telegraph operator, "I won't swear to the details of my story, but I got it pretty close from Professor Morse himself and it ought to be true. Here's how I have always understood it: Professor Morse, having returned from Europe, went at once to Washington, where he remewed his efforts to get his bill passed appropriating \$20,000 for the purposes of his new telegraph. Toward the close of the session of 1844 the house took it up and passed it by a large majority, and it only remained for the action of the senate. Its progress, as might be imagined, was awaited by Professor Morse with the most intense interest and anxiety. There were only two days before the close of the session and it was found on examination of the calendar that no less than 143 bills had precedence of it. The inventor had nearly reached the bottom of his purses his hard-earned savings were almost spent, and, aithough he had struggled on with undying hope for many years, it is hardly to be wondered at that he felt discouraged and disgusted with the statesmanship of the courgry as he had known it. "On the last night of the session he remained till 9 o'clock and then left without the slightest hope that the bill would be passed. He returned to his hotel, counted his money, and found that, after paying his expenses to New York, he would have 5 cents left. That night he went to bed sad, but not entirely hopeless, for notwithstanding all his trials and disappointments, confidence in his ultimate success never deserted him. In other words, he knew a good thing when he saw it. The next morning, as he was going to breakfast, one of the waiters informed him that a young lady was in the parlor waiting to see him, He went in immediately and found that the young lady was Miss Elisworth, daughter of the commissioner of patents, who had been his most steadfast friend while in Washington. ter of the commissioner of patents, who had been his most steadfast friend while in Washington.

"I come to congratulate you, professor, she said with sparkling eyes.

"For what, my dear?" replied the professor.
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fessor.

"On the passage of your bill; didn't you know?"

"Oh, you must be mistaken,' said he, 'I stayed in the senate till late last night and came away because there wasn't any prespect of its passage."

"Am I the first, then? she exclaimed joyfully, 'to tell you?"

"You are, if it is really so,' and Professor Morse seemed almost afraid to believe the good news.

"Well,' she continued, 'father remained until after adjournment and heard it passed. He told me only a few minutes ago and I asked him if I could not run over and tell you.

"'Annie,' said the professor, his feelings nearly choking his utterance, 'the first message that is sent from Washington to Baltimore shall be sent by you."

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"While the line was in progress of completion Professor Morse was in New York, and upon receiving intelligence that it was in working order he wrote to those in charge telling them not to transmit any message over it until his arrival. He then came on to Washington and sent a note to Miss Elisworth informing her that he was now ready to fulfill his promise and asking her what message he should send. To this she replied: 'What hath God wrought?' words that I'm sure any young lady ought to be proud of. The message was twice repeated, and each time with the greatest success. As soon as the result of the experiment was made known. Governor Seymour, of Connecticut, called upon Professor Morse, and claimed the first message for his state, on the ground that Miss Ellsworth was a native of Hartford, of course his claim was admitted, and I understand that the Historical Society of Connecticut has the legend displayed among its archives in letters of gold."